PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shogo HIROSE et al.

Application No.: 10/667,339

Filed: September 23, 2003

Group Art Unit: 1797

Examiner:

J. LEUNG

Docket No.: 117255

For:

HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE, MANUFACTURING METHOD OF THE

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STRUCTURE, AND EXHAUST GAS PURIFICATION SYSTEM USING THE

STRUCTURE

REQUEST FOR RESUMPTION OF PROSECUTION

Commissioner for Patents Attn: Licensing and Review P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Supplemental to the arguments of the Request for Reconsideration and Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed November 19, 2008 requesting suspension of action for three months, Applicants hereby request resumption of prosecution for the above-identified application. Submitted herewith is the executed Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

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Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132

Date: December 16, 2008

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